

Mackenzie Speculates on Possibility Japs May Fold Without Actual Invasion

By DEWITT MAZKENZIE
AP Foreign Editor
There is a growing feeling among professional observers that the Japanese home islands may fold up under the pressure of a possible invasion without the necessity of an actual invasion.
This thought is based on the knowledge that the average human mind and body are not made for such punishment without cracking down. The Japanese mind and body are not made for such punishment without cracking down. The Japanese mind and body are not made for such punishment without cracking down.

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Cpl. Jim Is Losing Fight for Life

Fort Worth, July 18.—(AP)—Cpl. James E. Newman, the former prisoner of war, is losing his fight for life. Newman was taken from an army general hospital at Santa Fe, N.M., suffering from malaria, tuberculosis and laryngitis, developed while he was in a prison camp on Luzon.
"I can't die now, not after all the kindness and consideration people have shown me," he said recently. Today came news of the release of Newman.

Reduction in Welfare Pay Is Sustained

Little Rock, July 18.—(AP)—A second vote of confidence by the State Welfare Commission has upheld the reduction in welfare pay for recipients of public assistance.
The commission, headed by Commissioner T. R. Christy, voted 10-2 to sustain the reduction. The vote was taken after a hearing on the matter.

Market Report

POULTRY AND PRODUCE
Chicago, July 18.—Live poultry, receipts 4 trucks. Butter, 17¢; eggs, 17¢; corn, 17¢; wheat, 17¢; soybeans, 17¢; cotton, 17¢; rice, 17¢; sugar, 17¢; flour, 17¢; oil, 17¢; meat, 17¢; fruit, 17¢; vegetables, 17¢; dairy, 17¢; other, 17¢.
NEW YORK COTTON
New York, July 18.—An unfavorable cotton weather report, coupled with a sharp decline in cotton futures today, caused a sharp decline in the price of cotton. The price of cotton today was 14.14¢, down from 14.15¢ yesterday.

Social and Personal

Ask Ouster of Ailing Sen. Glass
Arlington, Va., July 18.—(AP)—A Republican caucus official sought to ouster Sen. Charles McNary, D., from the Senate today. The caucus was held in the Senate chamber and was attended by a large number of Republican members.

Hope Men to See Weeds Cut by Flame

The flame-weeder's use will be observed by six men from Hope, Ark., today. The men are from the Hope community and are interested in the use of flame weeding.

We, the Women

BY RUTH MILLET
In case you didn't notice, summer is really here—officially. The calendar tells you when summer begins, but it's the feeling that tells you when it's really here.

Oslin Speaks to Kiwanis Members

Several visitors were in attendance at the Kiwanis Club meeting today. Oslin, a prominent figure in the community, spoke to the members about the importance of community service.

Kiss and Tell

THE STORY: After the Archer family saw the movie "Kiss and Tell" at the local theater, they were all in a state of excitement. The movie was a romantic comedy that had a large following.

Truman Near Attendance Increases at Revival

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University Plans Quick Freeze Unit

Little Rock, July 18.—(AP)—A study of plans for a quick freezing plant for agricultural products is being made by the University of Arkansas. The plant is being planned by the university's agricultural department.

SKIN IRRITATIONS CAUSE

It is a common ailment that causes much discomfort. The condition is caused by an irritation of the skin and can be treated with various remedies.

Back to the Bible

It may be said that Jesus while on earth was God in the flesh. This is a common belief among many people and is a central tenet of Christianity.

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Your hair looks better and stays in place when you use Mordine hair cream. Mordine is a popular hair cream that is used by many people for grooming.

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St. Joseph Aspirin

100 TABLETS. St. Joseph Aspirin is a popular brand of aspirin that is used for pain relief and fever reduction.

State Legion Nine to Play Middle West

Little Rock, July 18.—(AP)—Arkansas baseball champion will play against St. Louis today. The game is part of a series between the two teams.

2 Minesweepers Reported Lost in Borneo Waters

Washington, July 18.—(AP)—The Navy announced today the loss of two minesweepers in the Borneo area. The ships were on a mission and were reported missing.

A Personal Invitation From The Pastor and Congregation of Hope Gospel Tabernacle

To Attend the REVIVAL of Old Time Religion Now in Progress At The Church SERVICES. The revival is being held at the Hope Gospel Tabernacle and is open to all.

This Curious World By William Ferguson

A ROBIN IN OHIO, NEBRASKA, PUT A U.S. ARMY AIR FORCE COPILOT ON THE GROUND. The story is a humorous account of a pilot's experience.

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You shouldn't have written to Uncle Gus that you've had no bacon for six months!

by Walt Disney



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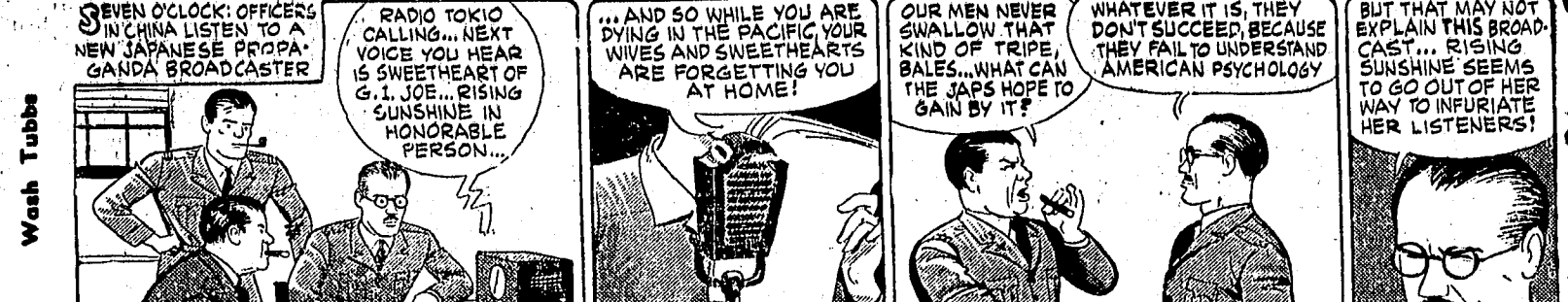
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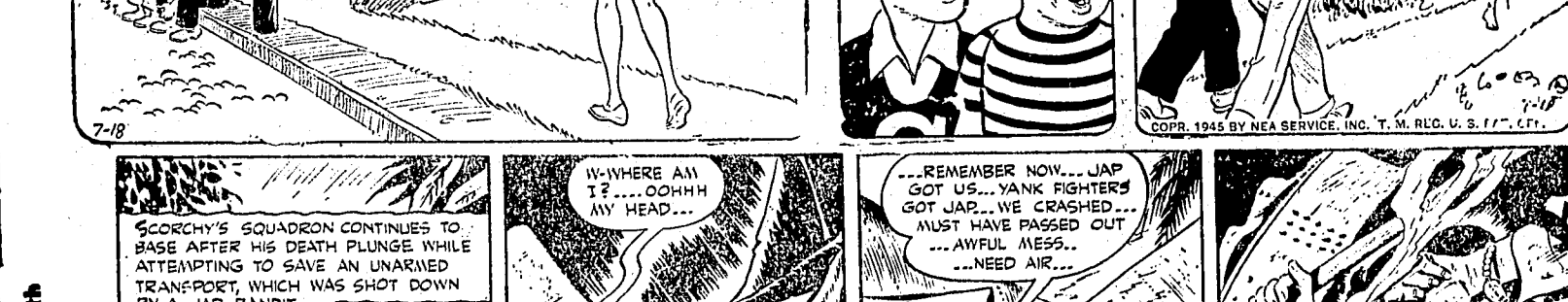
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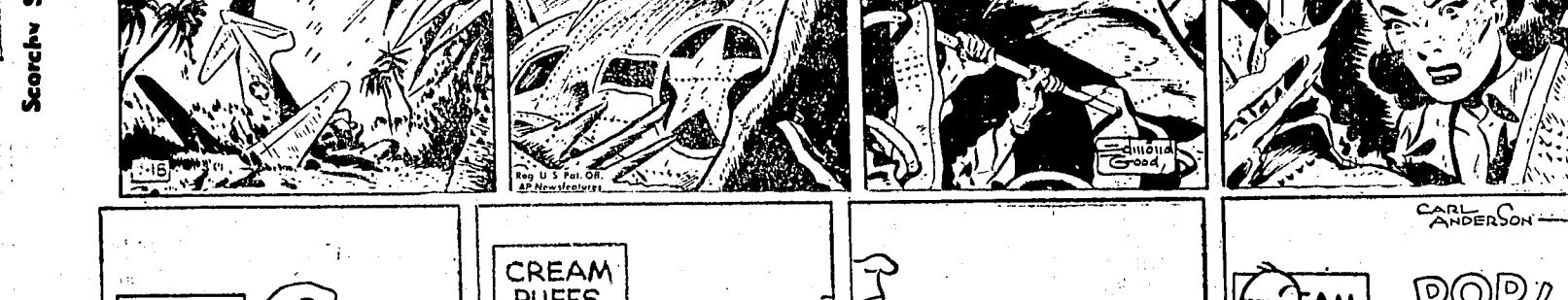
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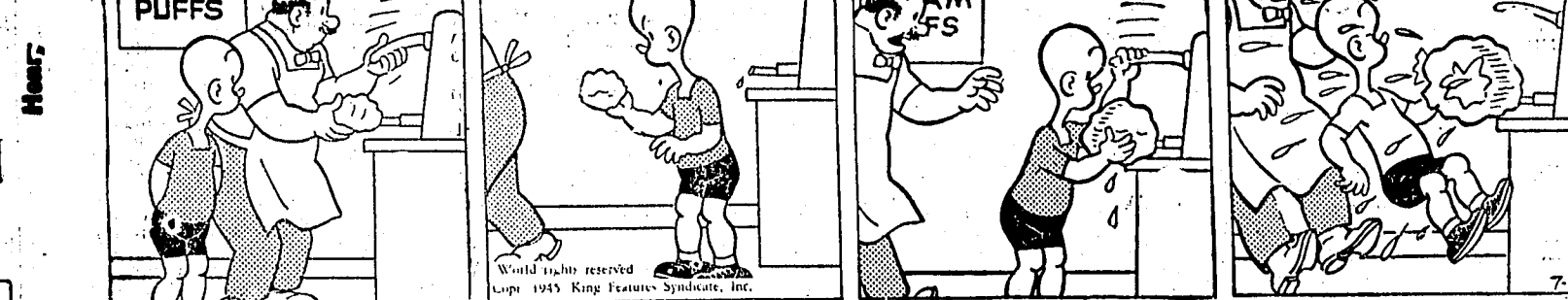
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By Westbrook Pegler

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about 100 miles stretch of Honshu. The vital war production centers along the north coast of Honshu, with a total of 82,000, was still reeling from the bomb-blasts of Tuesday night.

The chief cause for its turn of fate, "a headquarters man" said, "was that it was not a long time."

Honshu's most important harbor, less 60 miles east of the battered city of Yokohama, is the prefectural capital. It is the leading industrial cities in the region. It is the largest suburb of Nagoya, a few minutes' train ride from the port.

Over the city, the air was overcast for ninety minutes, but the incandescence of the population of more than 200,000 people, jammed together in a dense as 50,000 per square mile, was not enough to melt the plants, manufacturing plants, and a great many aircraft plants, tanks and armor plants, and a great many of the fleet bombardment.

The attack on the city, one-eighth of Japan's total population, was the first since Admiral Chester W. Nimitz's recent statement that U. S.

said 60 U. S. Army fighter picked up the offensive this morning with an hour-long attack on south China, carrying the pre-in-bombardment into its 44th day.

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These propaganda spokesmen
the American and British
were scouting the Honshu
for potential invasion beach.
They continued to offer the
ic explanation that Japan's

ships were holding back their air forces for the coming day and could not be "provoked" to battle.

Following surface strike, fourth blow at Japan in five days, in the wake of a 1,500-plane carrier blow on Tokyo and surrounding areas yesterday, the navy uncovered the main hide-out of the enemy's few surviving subs.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz said that an American wing of bombers had raided the Kure naval base in Tokyo bay, six south of Tokyo and 20 miles across the bay from Nijima.

They came down through a fierce

There was no confirmation of a Japanese report that 135 Allied ships were shot down or damaged in yesterday's strike, including 82 destroyed and 52 crippled. The enemy account said 40 ships were shot down and 38 damaged.

over Yokosuga alone. Litz said the targets were "patent shipping" — a term applicable to anything from oil tankers to battleships and carriers — but he gave no further details. And fleet dispatches today said the storm was still sending accurate reconnaissance reports. Litz disclosure steered lively speculation that the handful of ships left to the broken navy might be undergoing

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